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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

**DUBOIS COUNTY MAN CHARGED WITH INTERSTATE
TRANSPORT OF STOLEN FIREARMS**

PRESS RELEASE

Susan W. Brooks, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana, announced that TODD A. HENTRUP, 39, of Huntingburg, Indiana, was indicted by a federal grand jury sitting in Indianapolis for theft of firearms from a licensed firearms dealer and interstate transport of stolen firearms, following an investigation by the Jasper, Indiana, Police Department and the Bureau of Alcohol Tobacco Firearms and Explosives.

The indictment alleges that HENTRUP stole firearms from Sportsmans Unlimited, a licensed firearms dealer located in Jasper, Indiana, while he was an employee of the business between July 1, 2004, and March 29, 2005. The second count in the indictment alleges that

HENTRUP transported stolen firearms from Indiana to a firearms business in Owensboro, Kentucky.

According to Assistant United States Attorney Todd S. Shellenbarger, who is prosecuting the case for the government, HENTRUP faces a maximum possible prison sentence of 10 years and a maximum possible fine of \$250,000 on each count. An initial hearing will be scheduled before a U.S. Magistrate Judge in Evansville.

The indictment is an allegation only, and the defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty at trial or by guilty plea.

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